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Sir:

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO JULY 3, 2002 OFFICE ACTION AND PETITION FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action issued July 3, 2002 by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the July 3, 2002 Office Action was due October 3, 2002. Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time, from October 3, 2002 to December 3, 2002, to respond to the July 3, 2002 Office Action. The fee for a two-month extension of time for a small entity is TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$200.00) and a check for this amount is enclosed. With a two-month extension of time, a response is due December 3, 2002. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

Please amend the subject application as follows:

In the Specification:

Please delete the paragraph on page 9, lines 10-20.

Please delete the paragraph on page 9, lines 21-30.

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